

CACTUS LEAGUE DOPE

By N. M. Walker

Danny Deeyer O'Donovan and his team will be over Saturday morning for the Labor day series of games here Saturday, Sunday and Monday. The team is strengthened by the presence of Powell and Belante, a catcher and third baseman from the South Atlantic league, who will finish the season with the Athletics. Eddie Ward will play second in place of O'Donovan, who has been transferred to the field, making one of the strongest outfields in the league, with Mathewson and Bill Harper for running mates.

Another change has been made in the Douglas lineup by the release of Humphries. He is the young collegian who was the cause of so much gum shoe work on the part of O'Donovan at the time he was brought on. O'Donovan makes very few mistakes, but he missed fire on this youngster, as he already had old Harry Kane and Pitts in his camp, who could take the youngster's candy away from him the best day the easterner ever saw.

Douglas will save the best pitcher for Labor day. So will El Paso, and the result will be the premier game of the series. A record crowd should attend this game, if not the two other games of the series. The Mavericks are hitting the ball very well, but they have not hit it before in El Paso, which guarantees a sensational batting game. Umpire Toman will officiate during the series, which assures a clean, ragless trio of games. Labor day has become as much of an event in El Paso as July 4, and the ball game is one of the feature attractions of the day. Evenly matched and scrapping for first place, the Douglas and El Paso clubs will be the most interesting with the single exception of the final tournament championship game.

Cananea is coming like a mud runner in a rain storm and is making a desperate effort to overtake the two top liners in the Cactus standing. The copper diggers will play Bisbee three games this week, and upon the outcome of this series will depend the lineup of the standing column. El Paso is getting anxious to see the Cananea club in action again. It has been more than a month since the club was here for a series, and it has been getting stronger with each week. The appearance of the Cananeans will mean a big gate here, for there is always something sure to be doing when they come out of the hills for a game on American soil.

By a switch in the dates, Morenci will play in El Paso on September 16, 17 and 18 instead of on its own slag dump diamond as per the schedule. This will bring the Morenci club here for two straight series, as they are booked to appear here on September 23, 24 and 25. It is probable that they will remain over in El Paso during the intervening week in order to save car fare to and from the hillside camp. In this case the local club will have the pleasure of entertaining a fine bunch of ball players. Ben Fobman, of the Kansas State league, has joined Morenci to finish the season in a double bill with the El Paso club. Morenci plays its farewell game at home before the double header El Paso series on Saturday. The Saturday game will be with Clifton, and the Sunday and Monday games at Clifton.

It is beginning to look as if Charlie Murphy, of Chicago, right bower to baseball magnate, Charles P. Taft, is to have his way in organized baseball. Murphy insisted upon a long term schedule for this season and got it in the National league. This makes the National league season run two weeks longer than the American league. The result is that with the pennant clinched Murphy will put his Cubs in the world's championship series warm for the fray, while the Athletics, who are picked to win the American league pennant, will have to lay a few weeks or stall with some other club until the championship series is due. The formation of the all star National and American league teams looked to put a crimp in Murphy's ambition to corral all of the coin in the league.

Now comes the national commission and rules such a collection of stars as out of order and orders president Lynch, of the National league, to arrange for the championship series as early as possible. The feeling toward Murphy and his lieutenants in the major leagues by annexing the Philadelphia Nationals through the medium of Charles P. Taft, brother of the president, is not friendly.

dent, and his wife, in whose name the Philadelphia club is owned. The alleged trades between the Chicago and the Philadelphia clubs is cited as proof that these two clubs are banded together for the purpose of winning the pennant for Chicago at the expense of the game's popularity.

***** TEXAS LEAGUE NOTES. By Horace H. Shelton. *****

Owner Gardner of the Dallas team denies that Memphis has purchased outfielder Jackson of that team. He admits a deal is on but says it will not be closed until the Texas league season is over.

Jim Weaver, one of the owners of the Fort Worth franchise, is scouting about for new material.

Griffens, catcher for Fort Worth, had a finger nail torn off by a wild ball. It will be some time before he will be able to get behind the bat again.

Texas Drucker, with the New York Nationals, is certainly making good. Tony Thebo continues to play great ball for Dallas. It was thought at the first of the season it would be the brush for Tony but he has braced up. He has been in the Texas league more than five years.

The game for the pennant between Dallas and Houston is so close it is possible for Dallas to win all of the remaining games and then lose the pennant, as Houston has two more games to play than Dallas. With both winning an even number from now until the end of the season, and Houston winning the two extra games, the pennant would go to the Buffaloes.

Smiling Brady is doing some very consistent winning for Galveston now. He was the only pitcher able to take San Antonio into camp.

Salm's log keeps troubling him and is interfering with his base running. But for this the Houston first sacker would be the best in the Texas league.

Gardner of Dallas really deserves to win the pennant—he is spending the money and getting the men.

Tates, the ex-Cardinal, won a game for Dallas the other day. For a few games after he joined the Texas league he did well, since that time he has been winning them only few and far between.

Rumor has it that Hank Gowdy is not sure of a life time contract with the New York Giants. He is the best first basemen in the Texas league—except Hohnstahr, Eberline and Salas.

"Billiken" Powell, catcher for the Panthers last year, is in Fort Worth. He started the season with the Fort Worth club, but was released to Columbia of the South Atlantic league in May. Dred Cavender, former manager for Fort Worth, is managing the Columbia team and has with him, besides Powell, "Kid" Webber, also a former Fort Worth player.

Jimmy Vaughn, the Weatherford boy with the New York American team, is again breaking into the limelight. He recently shut out Detroit. The papers say he is a comer. He has been slick nearly all the season and has really had no opportunity to show what he could do.

The owners of the Shreveport team announce they will back Beaumont for Oklahoma City's place in the Texas league.

The ownership of Waco by Joe Gardner of the Dallas team is now acknowledged. He has ordered that team to play no more double headers with Houston.

***** MANY FANS COMING HERE FROM DOUGLAS City Marshal Will Head Delegation of Fans to El Paso For Three Games. *****

The "Southwestern Drummers" special will be transformed into a baseball car special during the remainder of the week. The car has been on a rate of one fare for the round trip beginning Friday and good until the eve of Labor day. An El Pasoan returning from Douglas says the "whole blame town is upside down" with enthusiasm. The coming series of games with the Douglas team are coming down to see the series and take part in the Labor day exercises, headed by the town marshal. Quite a number of people from that city came over on Friday morning's train.

A shipment of Fine Slaughter Cattle Received for Local Slaughter.

J. R. Irving, of Alpine, Texas, has just made a killing of two fine killers for Ardoin's market. There cattle are from Mr. Irving's Meadow Pasture, and always top market.

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Base Ball Results STRENUOUS FINISH IN TEXAS LEAGUE

Four Big Teams From Four Big Towns Are at the Top of the List.

***** NATIONAL LEAGUE. *****

At Cincinnati— R. H. E. Pittsburgh . . . 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 — 1 6 2 Cincinnati . . . 0 0 0 1 0 3 0 0 x — 4 7 0

***** AMERICAN LEAGUE. *****

No games; all postponed on account of rain.

***** TEXAS LEAGUE. *****

At Dallas— R. H. E. Shreveport . . . 4 12 0 Dallas . . . 6 8 2

***** NATIONAL LEAGUE. *****

At San Antonio (1st game): R. H. E. Houston . . . 2 5 0 San Antonio . . . 2 6 1

***** AMERICAN ASSOCIATION. *****

Kansas City at Columbus, rain.

At Indianapolis—Milwaukee, 4; Indianapolis, 2.

At Toledo (1st game)—Minnesota, 3; Toledo, 2; (11 innings) Second game—Toledo, 1; Toledo, 2.

At Louisville—St. Paul, 6; Louisville, 2. (Game called end of seventh; darkness.)

***** SOUTHERN LEAGUE. *****

At Montgomery—Montgomery, 3; Memphis, 1; (6 innings, called by agreement.) Second game—Montgomery, 6; Memphis, 2; (4 innings, called by agreement.)

At Mobile—Mobile, 4; Atlanta, 1.

At Birmingham—Birmingham, 7; Nashville, 0.

No game scheduled between New Orleans and Chattanooga.

***** COAST LEAGUE. *****

At Los Angeles— R. H. E. San Francisco . . . 8 15 1 Vernon . . . 4 18 2

***** NATIONAL LEAGUE. *****

At Oakland— R. H. E. Sacramento . . . 3 9 1 Oakland . . . 1 7 2

***** WESTERN LEAGUE. *****

At Des Moines (1st game): R. H. E. Des Moines . . . 1 7 6 St. Joseph . . . 2 8 1

***** NATIONAL LEAGUE. *****

The second game was called at the end of the fifth inning with score nothing to nothing to allow the visitors to catch a train.

At Des Moines . . . 0 2 1 St. Joseph . . . 0 2 0

***** NATIONAL LEAGUE. *****

At Denver (1st game)— R. H. E. Lincoln . . . 9 12 2 Denver . . . 9 12 2

***** NATIONAL LEAGUE. *****

At St. Louis— R. H. E. St. Louis . . . 10 12 0 Denver . . . 1 4 3

***** NATIONAL LEAGUE. *****

At Sioux City— R. H. E. Topeka . . . 8 12 4 Sioux City . . . 8 12 4

***** NATIONAL LEAGUE. *****

At St. Joseph— R. H. E. St. Joseph . . . 8 12 4 Sioux City . . . 8 12 4

first game, 9-6, and the visitors ran away with the second, 10-1.

Battling Jim Johnson, a negro heavy of Galveston, Tex., knocked out Jim Maher, an Englishman, in the third round of a battle in Paris, France, Thursday night.

J. R. Graham of Long Lake, Ill., smashed the world's amateur target record in the final shoot of the Grand Chicago handicap tournament. He went out with 417 straight, but really broke 422 targets without a miss, 15 being eliminated by rule.

Fire destroyed the grandstand and a section of the stables at Buena Vista Thursday. The loss was \$10,000.

Charles Evans, Jr., of the Edgewater Golf club, a former western amateur champion, and George O. Simpson, professional, defeated 2 and 1, and Simpson won the final round of the western open golf championship at Chicago. Evans defeated D. E. Sawyer of the Wheaton golf club, formerly western champion, 2 and 1, and Simpson and Evans, who previous to joining the professional Thursday afternoon won their tour of Scotland in 1907, defeated A. J. Christie of the Rochester, N. Y., country club, 3 and 1.

Racing with a fast Lake Shore mail train, Glenn H. Curtiss, the aviator, drove his bi-plane over the water from Cedar Point to Euclid beach, an air distance of 50 miles, completing a 120 mile round trip flight begun the day before, and establishing an unquestioned world's record over the water. Incidentally he beat the train into Cleveland a full 17 minutes.

Dorothy Dix On Some Causes of Divorce

Article No. 5—Divorce in America is increased by lack of comradeship between husband and wife.

A NOTHER reason why so many married couples become estranged is because they neither work together nor play together. In no other country do men and women lead such distinct lives, from each other, as in America; and in no other country is divorce so frequent. The two facts are more than a coincidence; they are cause and effect.

When the average man and woman get married, the course of their existence may be said to part almost at the church door. The bridegroom takes his bride to the home he has provided for her, and then he plunges back into his business with renewed ardor. He works at high tension all day, and when he returns to the domestic hearth at night he is tired in mind and body and wants to do nothing but rest. He doesn't feel like dressing himself to go out to any sort of amusement, or have energy enough to make himself entertaining and agreeable. He doesn't even want to talk about his business, and when his wife questions him about the doings of the day he answers her in a way that is apt to hurt her feelings. He is sensitive, and at any rate, gives her to understand that he resents her curiosity. This isn't because he has anything to hide, but simply because he is dead weary with the day's work.

A Business Man Explains.

A very successful business man once put the matter to me this way: "I don't talk to my wife about my business, because my wife is not naturally inclined to bear the strain under which I work depends upon my relaxing and getting my mind off of my work. If when I go home, I have got to spend the time thinking over my business, recalling every annoyance and reviving every anxiety of the day as I would, if I told my wife all about it, why, would be in a sanatorium with nervous prostration in six months. When I go home I want to drop everything, and just rest until time to go back to my office the next day."

Undoubtedly most other men feel the same way. The wife, however, the majority of wives are entirely shut out of their husband's business lives. They do not know how much their husbands make, what investments they have, what business they are engaged in, what hopes or fears fill their souls. When hubby is amiable and genial, wife prognosticates from the symptoms that business is good, and when he is morose and cross, she knows that business is bad, and she is sure to quarrel with the dinner, she surmises that business has been bad; but she has no way of knowing, for she is not in touch with the biggest part of his life.

Divorces Among the Rich.

Curiously enough, the more a man prospers the less his wife sees of him and the less she knows of his domestic happiness. By far the greater number of divorces occurs among the rich. This is not because divorce is, like the automobile, a luxury of the wealthy, but because the more money they have, the more they are able to get away from their wives. They become more money-making machines, and about which women know nothing, and a real live, warm, palpitating affection that she could about a cash register.

to do as they please; where such methods obtain we must have a check.

There are hundreds of things like this, preceding that can be quoted, and then you come out and advise us, indirectly, to not try to control our legislators and other offices.

Would you turn The Herald over to a man who commanded a majority of the votes in the country in the United States to do as he pleased, safe from removal for neglect, for two years? No, you bet you wouldn't, but you want the people to do it. Business is not politics, but politics is business in New Mexico.

The writer is a believer in Republican principles, and is opposed to Republican rings or any other ring, national, state or county, and unalterably pledged to a progressive constitution or none at all. Better a territory that is stepmothered by a ring with no supervising power, than a state in which a constitution of a state in which "Johnny Mac" would some day be a citizen, wouldn't you want the best to be found? Well, there are many of us who have "Johnny Mac" and we believe they deserve the chance to govern our country some day. Now is our opportunity.

You say we should pick men we can trust in office for two years. Ah! There's the rub! We don't get a chance to choose. They are chosen for us, and struggle to win the office. We get a new man, New Mexico today has the most perfect laws for ring government ever devised. Our ballot is not even secret. If it was, the powers that be wouldn't have a check on its coerced voters.

In Luna county Mr. Ely comes out flat footed and says we don't know enough to use reforms and therefore they shouldn't go into the constitution. In Colorado Theodore Roosevelt advises us to make a constitution easy of amendment. Who is right? Many of us believe that the expert means the initiative and referendum.

Mr. Ely's remarks about our ignorance are in line with the whole standard legislation. First congress passes an enabling act re-appointing on our native citizens, which is a claim at the territories which they keep our officials in power for a double term the shrews of war to those who will make a constitution to save the people from themselves; and then the candidates say that the expert means the initiative and referendum. We are too ignorant to use modern methods of government and the boss in Santa Fe says we can have the initiative, referendum, and recall "safeguarded," requiring 51 percent of the votes to sign the petition.

"Who can save a man from himself?" Who then can save people from themselves? They pay the bills whether they be by a rotten legislature or an ignorant initiative and referendum, and it is a sentiment freely expressed that having paid the one for many years we would like a chance at the other.

Mr. Editor, if you can't help the people, don't help the gang, and you will see the prettiest fight you ever saw.

C. A. Thompson.

Of course, it is every man's idea that when he marries a woman and sets her down in a comfortable home she will stay "put." He pictures her as spending her days joyously anticipating his return at 6 o'clock from business, and that she waits no trivier amusements of an evening than just to sit up opposite him and watch him read the paper. Unhappily for the peace of the fireside, things don't happen this way in real life. A womanhouse has occupation and diversion, as well as a man, and when the wife realizes that her husband does not share his with her, she starts out to find some for herself. She doesn't sit up twiddling her thumbs and counting the hours until his return.

Become Strangers to Each Other.

Thus, it happens that the wife's interest and the husband's interest, and their pleasures and their amusements become separated. They know different facts of life, and they move in different circles of society—and, in this way, eventually all most become strangers to each other.

The man has his business. The wife has her church and art clubs. He absorbs himself in schemes for getting rich. She absorbs herself in fashion and buying clothes. He hates to go out of an evening; so she and the other women of her set, who are all situated just as she is, entertain themselves by giving her luncheons and going to the matinee, and the gulf widens and widens between the two whose lives only touch at two or three points.

As a result, just notice the pitiful paucity of conversation carried on by the average married couple. They have literally nothing to talk to each other about, except the children and the bills, and if there were more things to be able to quarrel over the bills, and have no children, they are reduced to silence and yawning in each other's faces. Is it any wonder that, under such conditions, the wife grows more and more starved? Or need we marvel that the marriage tie becomes so weak and frail a bond that neither husband nor wife has much compunction about breaking it?

I believe the most deadly blow that could be dealt the divorce evil would be for husbands and wives to realize, at the very beginning of their married life, that the marriage tie is not a bond that could do would be to cultivate comradeship, and to make up their minds to share their burdens, their pleasures, their very thoughts together. In that way, alone, can they make a community of interest, and the realization of what marriage was meant to be.

Cultivate Comradeship.

Men excuse themselves by saying they work so hard for the sake of their families that they have not the time to devote to entertaining their wives or to getting along with them. But it is better for the domestic happiness for any husband to give his wife less money and more of himself. Better a two weeks' vacation at a country farm house, together with a solitary man, alone to Europe for the wife while the husband toils in his counting room.

Men and women must work together, and play together. If they are to remain together, and if there were more husbands present at the suffrage meeting, and more wives on the golf course, we should have fewer divorces.

***** JIM JEFFRIES' NEPHEW, A STRIKE BREAKER, IS KILLED *****

Los Angeles, Sept. 2.—The accidental killing today of Lewis Jeffries, a nephew of James J. Jeffries, who was employed as a non-union iron worker on the Alexandria hotel annex, precipitated a riot between striking iron workers and the non-union men. The fighting reached the scene and many arrests were made.

Jeffries was killed by the falling of a derrick, and an assembly of his body was carried out and a union striker observed that "it would be a good idea if that would happen to all these strike breakers." His words were repeated by a number of fellow workers and a fight was started.

***** THE CACTUS CLUB. *****

At the sign of the Cactus will be where El Paso's business and professional men, fans and followers of all kinds of sports will meet to talk over the latest news of the city and the match, read the bulletins and loaf. The Cactus club will open about September 15 in the new Look building. Art Woods will be in charge, which is a guarantee of a genuine welcome and the right arrangements of everything for the comfort of the patrons.

Two carloads of fixtures have already arrived, including four continuous bowling alleys with assembled pin setters, seven pool tables, complete cigar fixtures, settees, chairs and writing desks and steel lockers for the bowlers. There are being installed as rapidly as possible.

There will be 30 feet of blackboard, where baseball, football, bowling, racing and flight returns will be posted each day. The latest newspapers and sporting publications will be on file at the Cactus Club where patrons may read them in comfort in a big, cool, clean room.

"The Cactus Club will fill a long felt want," said Art Woods, the manager of the new club. "The bowling alleys are to be run under a club plan with a membership of \$1 a year. In this way the club may select its own members and will be composed of lawyers, business and commercial men, clerks, professional men and others of the same class. No one will be allowed to use the alleys but the members and the wives and women friends of the members. One afternoon each week the alleys will be reserved exclusively for the women and no men will be allowed. We expect to enroll 500 members and the Cactus Club will be one of the best boosters for all kinds of sports El Paso will have."

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***** MANY BALL PLAYERS DRAFTED BY BIG CLUBS *****

American Tour Between Two Big League Clubs Pinned Under Ban.

World Series To Be Played.

Cincinnati, O., Sept. 2.—One hundred and fifteen minor league players were drafted by the 16 clubs of the two major leagues when the National baseball commission met here yesterday.

The National league secured 67, while the American league got only 48. The Brooklyn Nationals secured 15 players, the New York Nationals were the next fortunate in the draw, as they secured 13 players. Philadelphia National came next with 12; Chicago Nationals got 11 players, while the Chicago Americans got 10. The others ranged downward to a single player by Detroit, and this one is under investigation so that Detroit may come out empty handed in the draw.

A little less than \$125,000 was deposited with secretary Bruce, of the commission, to cover the drafts.

The commission held a long session in which they placed a ban upon the contemplated series between two all star teams, from the American and National leagues, that were scheduled to make a tour of the country after the world's championship series. No reasons for the ban were given.

All doubts that the world series would take place were banished when the commission notified president Lynch, of the National league, to arrange his schedule in such a way as to make the world's series as early as possible.

TWO MEN BADLY USED UP IN FIGHT AT SHERMAN

Sherman, Texas, Sept. 2.—Col. R. E. Smith, charged with attacking Hank Hendricks with a knife last "yesterday" afternoon during the altercation in Smith's office, was physically unable to appear in court this morning, but bond was made for \$1000. Hendricks will likely recover, although badly stabbed. Smith is bruised about the head and otherwise injured. He was unconscious last night.

Don't waste your money buying plasters when you can get a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment for twenty-five cents. A piece of flannel dampened with this liniment is superior to any plaster for lame back, pains in the side and chest, and much cheaper. Sold by all druggists.

***** STATISTICAL DOPE. *****

(By Art Woods.)

***** WHERE THEY PLAY SATURDAY. *****

National.

Pittsburg at Cincinnati.

Brooklyn at Boston.

New York at Philadelphia.

St. Louis at Chicago.

American.

St. Louis at Cleveland.

Philadelphia at Washington.

Boston at New York.

Chicago at Detroit.

Shreveport at Oklahoma City.

Waco at San Antonio.

Galveston at Houston.

Fort Worth at Dallas.

***** Cactus. *****

Douglas at El Paso.

Cananea at Bisbee.

Clifton at Morenci.

***** HOW THEY STAND. *****

Played. Won. Lost. Pct.

Chicago . . . 117 80 37 . 684

Pittsburg . . . 116 69 47 . 595

New York . . . 115 67 48 . 582

Philadelphia . . . 110 61 50 . 558

St. Louis . . . 109 59 50 . 545

Brooklyn . . . 116 44 72 . 379

Boston . . . 121 43 78 . 356

American.

Philadelphia . . . 119 82 37 . 689

Boston . . . 121 72 49 . 598

New York . . . 120 69 51 . 575

Detroit . . . 121 67 54 . 554

Cleveland . . . 118 56 62 . 455

Chicago . . . 117 45 71 . 394

St. Louis . . . 119 36 82 . 305

Cactus.

Douglas . . . 37 21 16 . 568

El Paso . . . 28 21 17 . 553

Bisbee . . . 39 18 21 . 462

Morenci . . . 21 14 17 . 453

Clifton . . . 21 11 20 . 355

***** SPORTLETS. *****

(By Tim.)

Now the question is, how did the ball players vote? In time, his nibs the mayor will investigate the political standing of the local branch of the Cactus league. Everybody here's seen Kelly.

Bebe pitched good ball, but his legs were badly bunched on Camnitz in the only National league game Thursday. Pittsburgh lost to Cincinnati, 1-4.

Indecent exposure was charged against a male which was now against the horses in the back stretch, there was good time and a big crowd at Thursday's card of the Great Western harness meet at Joliet. All but one race were decided in one hour.

At Des Moines Thursday, St. Joseph won an 11 inning game, 2-1. A second game was called at the end of the fifth with the score nothing and nothing.

The National Baseball commission in full session at Cincinnati Thursday decided not to allow the proposed all star National and American league teams to play a series of games later in the season.

Denver and Lincoln shared honors Thursday. Denver, at home, won the

Baseball DOUGLAS VS. EL PASO

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